ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

The present invention relates generally to methods for stimulating T cells, and more particularly, to methods to eliminate undesired (*e.g.* autoreactive, alloreactive, pathogenic) subpopulations of T cells from a mixed population of T cells, thereby restoring the normal immune repertoire of said T cells. The present invention also relates to compositions of cells, including stimulated T cells having restored immune repertoire and uses thereof.

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